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FALL PASTIME AGENT DESCRIPTION FORM

NAME OF AGENT: CALABAR 21

Date: 1 May 1948

Case Officer:

I. INTELLIGENCE VALUE

DECLASSIFIED AND RELEASED BY CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE ABENCY SOURCESMETHODS EXEMPTION 3B2B NAZIWAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT

A. Field covered now; value of such coverage

From CALABAR 21 we have been getting statistical information on production, trade, transport, reparations, etc., as compiled by the old Central Administration for Industry in the Soviet Zone. Since the change-over to the German Economic Commission (DWK) a somewhat reduced quantity of intelligence has been delivered to us by this agent. In his new position he still has access to a great deal of information of interest to us. The material he has submitted has, for the most part, been of a high order. He has excellent contacts with other officials of the DWK and at Karlshorst. By all he seems to be trusted and liked.

B. Fall Pastime field and value

The best field for his efforts will continue to be in the political-economic realm. His abilities will most certainly be employed in a leading position if he continues to be trusted by the Soviets. He has a sound background in industrial engineering and business administration.

II. OPERATIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

A. Present cover

- 1. Employment At present he heads the DWK's Machine and electrical Industry Branch of the Department of Industry.
- 2. Residence circumstances He lives during the work week with two or three others in an apartment in the American Sector. On weekends and holidays he joins his family which lives somewhat southwest of Berlin, near Potsdam.
- 3. Social He has a goodly number of friends in Berlin, it seems, and among these he visits a great deal.

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- 4. Financial Without disclosing what actually his income amounts to and from whence, other than his salary, it may be derived, he makes it clear that he is content financially under present circumstances.
- Political Strongly anti-communist, he is favorable 5. to limited socialism. At heart a Social Democrat, he now belongs to the SED.
- Estimate of willingness and ability to fill the following roles under Fall Pastime

CALABAR 21's declared willingness to work for us in the event of our withdrawal from Berlin or in case of war should be considered in the light of the situation he may find himself at that time. His talents should be used to the utmost and in connection with such a function as will enable him to use his abilities to the fullest extent within the employment he will be holding.

III. TECHNICAL DETAILS CONCERNING RECONTACTING

How to contact:

A personal visit by some representative of ours is much to be preferred.

Code word or the like to be used in contacting:

В. To clear the contact. mention should be made of TFor further verification the representative could give the Berlin telephone number 44151.

Means of investigating Subject before contact: To investigate Subject before contacting, it might be

advisable to check through other contacts in the DWK,

or with some trusted newspaperman.